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CR22-01545 TUC-RM(EJM)

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Aaron Thomas Mitchell,

Defendant.

INDICTMENT

Violation:

18 U.S.C. §§ 1201(a)(1) and (g)
(Kidnapping of a Minor)

(UNDER SEAL)

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

VICTIM CASE

COUNT 1

On or about April 25, 2022, in the District of Arizona, the defendant, AARON THOMAS MITCHELL, did unlawfully seize, confine, inveigle, decoy, kidnap, abduct, carry away, and hold for ransom and reward and otherwise a person, a minor victim. In the commission and in furtherance of the offense, the minor victim was willfully transported in interstate and foreign commerce, the defendant traveled in interstate and foreign commerce, and used any means, facility, and instrumentality of interstate and foreign commerce, to wit: a vehicle. At the time of the offense, the minor victim had not attained the age of 18 years, and the defendant had attained such age and is not a parent,

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1 grandparent, brother, sister, an aunt, an uncle, and an individual having legal custody of
2 the minor victim. All in violation of Title 18, United State Code, Sections 1201(a)(1) and
3 (g).

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8 FOREPERSON OF THE GRAND JURY
Dated: July 13, 2022

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